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In re Patent Application of Atty Dkt. 925-275 M# C# YAMAGUCHI, A. et al. 2878 OCT 1 1 2005 Serial No. 10/726,068 Examiner: Ko, Tony Date: October 11, 2005 Filed: December 3, 2003 Title: OPTICAL OBJECT IDENTIFICATION APPARATUS, AND PRINTING APPARATUS AND OBJECT CLASSIFICATION APPARATUS USING SAME Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment 29 minus highest number previously paid for x \$50.00 20 (at least 20) =\$450.00 (1202)/\$225.00 (2202) \$ Independent claims after amendment minus highest number x \$200.00 previously paid for \$600.00 (1201)/\$300.00 (2201) \$ 600.00 3 (at least 3) =If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) \$ \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add Applicant claims "small entity" status. Statement filed herewith Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) \$ Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (8021) \$ \$ Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$** 600.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 901 North Glebe Road, 11th Floor **NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C** Arlington, Virginia 22203-1808 By Atty: Joseph A. Phoa Rea\No. 37.515 Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100 JAR:caj Signature:

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responsive to the Official Action dated July 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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